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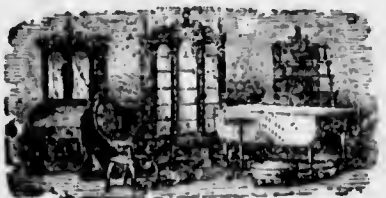
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PAID IN BLOOD.

Death the Penalty Bargained For and Taken When Due.

Citizen in Sparta Pays the Rote of Shylock With a Black Antonio.

[Courier Journal.]

"You remember, Roberts, what the bargain was—if the money I loaned you wasn't paid back by Thanksgiving day you were to die at my hands."

"That was the bargain, Mr. Constantine, and I haven't got the money."

"Then here goes!"

With these words Jerry Constantine, of Sparta, Ky., raised a revolver and leveled it at the head of Henry Roberts, colored. The moment Roberts had paid his debt with his life's blood.

A more remarkable murder has seldom been recorded in this State—a murder wherein a man takes a fellow-man's life by mutual agreement, and all for the sum of \$40. Of his own volition, with any thought of remuneration and seemingly for the sole purpose of helping out of trouble a man in pecuniary distress, the white man loaned the negro the money to pay a pressing debt. No interest was demanded. Gold to pay it back the borrower had not, but the lender took that which he regarded as sufficient collateral—a human life. There was no Shylock and pound-of-flesh agreement about it. A human life or \$40, that was the bargain which was completed yesterday.

Jerry Constantine, the murderer, has always been regarded in his section of the county as a remarkable man. He has not the reputation of a desperado. A common remark in Gallatin county where every one knows him, is, "Jerry don't pester nobody, but, lemme tell ye, nobody'd better pester Jerry, for he's a powerful, despot man when he's riled, 'r when he's sat his mind on doin' a thing." He was once Sparta's station agent, in the employ of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company. He is small and has a crippled leg. Of recent years he has been running the only hotel of which his little town boasts. In some respects he was known as a kind-hearted man. He was always ready to help a man out of trouble, but if the benefactor "beats" him, Constantine had the reputation of forever "having it in for" that man.

Roberts, who was a colored man well known about Sparta, went to Constantine several

weeks ago and said: "Mr. Constantine, I'm in trouble. I want to borrow some money. If you can let me have it I will be saved from trouble."

The man addressed replied:

"How much do you need?"

"I think \$40 will about place me in good shape if you can spare that much."

"Look here, Roberts, I'll let you have the \$40, but let me tell you, that money has got to be paid by Thanksgiving day. If you don't do it I will kill you. This isn't April 1; I mean what I say."

"All right, Mr. Constantine I'll agree to it. If I don't pay you that money by Thanksgiving day you can kill me, and I won't have anything to be thankful for."

The agreement was sealed the money was given over, and the two men separated. The weeks went by and the men saw each other often. They did not refer to the loan so far as is known.

Yesterday, Thanksgiving Day, the time was up. The money had not been paid. Constantine got his pistol. He put it in his pocket and started out. The search was in vain. He returned home and ate his Thanksgiving dinner. Then he went again in search of the delinquent debtor. Near the depot he was found. Constantine approached him and said:

"Have you got that money, Robert?"

"No, sir; I can't pay it to you to-day," was the reply.

"Then you know what our agreement was," and he repeated it to the colored man.

"Yes, I remember, that was our agreement."

Constantine drew his revolver and fired with deliberate aim at Roberts' head. The ball took effect, and the debtor had paid his debt; he died almost instantly.

DEMOCRATIC PLUM PUDDING.

Unique Feature of a Thanksgiving Celebration in Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 24.—Thanksgiving weather was clear and cold. Business was generally suspended. Services were held in many of the churches. The feature of the evening celebration was the cutting of the manouth Cleveland and Stevenson Democratic plum pudding by Senator Daniel. The revised weight of the pudding was 271 pounds that being the latest estimate of the number of electoral votes received by Cleveland. A twelve pound slice was sent each of the successful candidates, twelve being the electoral vote of Virginia.

There are \$1,400,000,000 in gold in circulation throughout the world.

CAST A HOROSCOPE.

Illinois' Democratic Senator Talks of Policies and the Future.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 24.—Senator John M. Palmer said to-day:

"As to legislative questions, nobody knows anything of the plans of Mr. Cleveland and nobody will know until the members of his Cabinet are known. I am inclined to believe if he will put in as Secretary of the Treasury a man like Wilson, of West Virginia, or a man of similar view and equal capacity, the tariff policy of the Democratic party will soon be settled."

"The adhesion of Senator Cullom to the doctrine of electing United States Senators by a direct vote of the people indicates to my mind that the resolution for a constitutional amendment will pass at this session of Congress. The recent elections have given strength to the movement. The fact that in States like Kansas, Nebraska, and perhaps others doubtful condition render it probable that United States Senators will be elected by combinations and deals, supports this view."

"I predict that unless some blunder is made the North-west and the South will make Democratic Presidents and control Democratic policies in the future. The commercial rivalry between Chicago and New York will contribute to that end. The South and Southwest will favor the same general line of policy, for those sections have little in common with the East and a great deal with the West. The sceptre has departed from the Atlantic States and the centre of political force is in Illinois from this time forward. I had rather have lost the Presidency than lost Illinois and Wisconsin."

One Way to Settle It.

N. T. Hale, chairman of the Democratic County Committee, it is understood, will call a meeting of the Democrats who receive their mail at the Murray post-office, at some time in the near future, to take some action as to decide who the people prefer to have as post-master under the new administration—Murray Ledger.

The oldest man in the world so far as known, is Jesus Campeche, who was born in Spain in 1738 and now lives in Mexico.

The queen of Siam has the smallest feet as yet seen on a titled woman. She wears one and a half in boots.

At the death of Queen Elizabeth 3,004 dresses were in her wardrobe, of which two only were of silk.

The Next House.

Dem. Rem. F. A.

Alabama	9	—	—
Arkansas	6	—	—
California	4	3	—
Colorado	—	—	2
Connecticut	3	1	—
Delaware	1	—	—
Florida	2	—	—
Georgia	11	—	—
Idaho	—	1	—
Illinois	14	8	—
Indiana	11	2	—
Iowa	1	10	—
Kansas	1	4	3
Kentucky	10	1	—
Louisiana	6	—	—
Maine	—	4	—
Maryland	6	—	—
Massachusetts	3	10	—
Michigan	5	7	—
Minnesota	1	5	1
Mississippi	7	—	—
Missouri	13	2	—
Montana	—	2	—
Nebraska	1	3	—
Nevada	—	—	1
N. Hampshire	1	1	—
New Jersey	6	2	—
New York	20	14	—
North Carolina	9	—	—
North Dakota	—	1	—
Ohio	11	10	—
Oregon	—	2	—
Pennsylvania	10	20	—
Rhode Island	—	2	—
South Carolina	7	—	—
South Dakota	2	—	—
Tennessee	8	2	—
Texas	13	—	—
Vermont	—	2	—
Virginia	10	—	—
Washington	—	2	—
West Virginia	4	—	—
Wisconsin	6	4	—
Wyoming	1	—	—
Totals	222	125	9

TIME TO CALL A HALT.

The Enormous Pension Burden Beginning to Cause Thoughtful Consideration.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The great pension list anaconda, which is squeezing out the financial life of the Treasury, is just now the subject of much discussion in the Northern press. The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger says to-day: The main cause of trouble is with the expenditures, and the fact must be recognized sooner or later that something must be done not only to prevent future increase of pension expenditures, but to make material reductions on that account. The country can not stand the enormous payments being made for pensions unless all public enterprises are abandoned until time shall work a reduction in the pension rolls. Payments for pensions now require \$510,000 per day, and the maximum has not been reached. No matter how meritorious the service or which pensions have been voted, it must be apparent to all right thinking men

that the expenditures on this account have been beyond the ability of the Government, and that the time has arrived for calling a halt unless the entire revenues are to be set apart for this purpose."

A FRIEND OF DEATH.

That's What Prof. Hicks, of St. Louis, Thinks of the Comet.

St. Louis, Nov. 24.—The tornado that devastated the town of Red Bud, Ill., was foretold by Prof. Hicks, the St. Louis astronomer and weather prophet. He was today asked what effect will be produced by the close approach to the earth of the comet which is attracting so much attention now.

"A vitiating effect," replied the Professor. "It intensifies the noxious condition of the earth's atmosphere—produced by Jatum. The planet and its rings of semi-gaseous matter revolve with great rapidity, and some of the rings are thrown off, enter the earth's atmosphere and vitiate it. The coma of a comet is composed of material precisely similar to the rings of Saturn, and if this material gets mixed up with the earth's atmosphere epidemic and severe illness are bound to result. To the combined influence of Saturn and the comet we owe the present prevalence of typhoid fever and kindred complaints. Typhoid fever shows that the earth's atmosphere is vitiated, and that it is in good condition for cholera next summer. I am on record as predicting cholera for next summer, and I have not changed my mind as to the probability of its coming."

RACE WAR IN THE G. A. R.

Commander Weissert Determined to Impose Offensive Conditions Upon Veterans in the South.

Milwaukee, Nov. 25.—Capt. A. G. Weissert, Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R., has been called upon to settle a question that has for a long time kept the organization in a state of ferment almost since the formation of the Grand Army. There has been trouble south of Mason and Dixon's line whenever a colored post was about to be organized. Charters have often been refused by State departments where colored veterans made application. Protests were sent to the Commander-in-Chief, who turned them over to the Judge Advocate General for adjustment. A protest came to-day from a colored post in Texas, saying that neither the department of Louisiana or Texas would issue a charter. A letter had been previously received from

the Department of Texas, citing the same instance and asking for instructions. Capt. Weissert immediately ordered the charter to be issued, and declared that unless it was done he would take steps to force the white veterans to obedience or drive them out of the Grand Army.

"The race war in Grand Army circles of the South," said Capt. Weissert, "is assuming a graver aspect than ever before. Since my election to this office I have not been idle. I have been collecting statistics from Florida to Texas. It is my intention to make a four of the South and make a searching inquiry into this race war. I propose to see that the colored soldiers are recognized by the State departments and posts of the Grand Army. I will lay down the laws to the offending posts and if they refuse to recognize the colored soldier they will be dismissed from the Grand Army without ceremony."

The Baptist congregation here is talking of building a new church to cost \$25,000. One of its members has promised to pay one fourth of the cost. It will probably be built. —Mayfield Mirror.

Fire at Kuttawa Wednesday night destroyed the residence of M. C. Marshall, hardware store of Frank Dorroh, clothing store of Linn Butts and the residence of H. C. Cobb. Loss, about \$12,000, and half insured. The fire was caused by a defective flue in Marshall's residence. —Princeton Banner.

Andrew Scott, a young man about twenty-one years of age, and son of Geo Scott, in the Caledonia district, was found dead in a gully on G F White's farm last Saturday. He had started out alone on a different route than the one several others had taken that morning to gather corn, but as the day sped his absence caused a search to be made, when his remains were found as above described. Falling head first into the ceasm he was found as he seemed to have fallen. His body was scarcely cold and had no marks of violence upon it, but life had been extinct for several hours. He was at time afflicted with epilepsy. —Cadiz Telephone.

A Mr. Adams, father of A. D. Adams the car inspector at the Union depot, died suddenly of heart disease at the depot last Saturday morning. He had gone down to the depot to see his son about some matters and was sitting in a chair near the stove when he fell from the chair dead. —Princeton Banner.

Resolutions of Respect.

BIGHAM LODGE No. 256. } November 19, '92. }

WHEREAS, It pleased God in his unerring wisdom to call our esteemed brother, S. C. Haynes from labor unto death on November 18th, 1892, and we realize that the sudden demise of Bro Haynes is not only deeply deplored by our lodge, but by his friends throughout the entire community.

THEREFORE, Be it resolved that in the death of Bro. S. C. Haynes that his wife and children has suffered one of the deepest sorrows pertaining to this life and our lodge has lost one of its beloved members.

RESOLVED, That we heartily tender to his sorrow stricken wife. Our sister, in her trials of sorrow—our deepest sympathy and commend her to the care and protection of our Heavenly Father who doeth all things well for those who love him and keep his commandments.

RESOLVED, Furthermore that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his wife and a copy be spread upon the records of our lodge, the same to be published in our county papers and that the lodge be draped in mourning and the Brethren wear the usual badge for 30 days.

R. D. BROWNING, }
D. WOODS, } Com.
S. HODGE, }



W. M. Freeman has purchased the entire stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware of J. H. Morse, and combined it with his already fine assortment, giving him the largest and best selected stock ever on the Marion market. He has purchased at prices which enable him to sell at the very lowest city prices. He is a reliable Jeweler and does all kinds of repairing guaranteeing all of his work. Call at post-office and you find him.

If your appetite is gone nothing will restore it more quickly than "C. C. C. Certain Chill Cure," the great Tonic and guaranteed cure for Chills and Fever.

The Crittenden Press

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

Cleveland's majority in Indiana is 8,883.

It now requires \$510,000 a day to pay the pensions, and the pay roll is still increasing.

The official returns from all the counties are in, and Cleveland's majority in Kentucky is 40,004.

According to reports, the Alliance members of Congress will vote with the Democrats on the tariff legislation.

The big comet that was expected to strike the earth Sunday, like the big majority our Republican friends looked for Nov. 8, went the other way.

Sam Jones is going to Hopkinsville and Bro. McEachem, of the Kentuckyian is disposing of his stock of newspaper stories at once. He is one of them.

The latest news from Grover is that he hurt his thumb while duck hunting. It is to be hoped that the thumb will come around all right by March 4th, for it will be an important member in gouging out Reju's can officers.

A Lexington lady is engaged in compiling statistics showing how many women in Kentucky support themselves. It would be equally as interesting to know how many women support not only themselves but their husbands too.

The public debt June 30th, 1882 according to the report of the United States Treasurer was \$1,588,464,144, an increase of \$42,158,558 during the year; The total receipts of the Government for the year, according to the same authority, was \$736,401,296, and the total expenditures \$684,019,289.

Near Milan, Tenn., one night last week two boys went coon hunting. Their dogs soon bayed. On cutting the tree a dozen coons sprang out of the hollow in different directions and fought the dogs to death. Then they attacked the boys and one of them was horribly bitten and torn before he could be rescued. The physicians say he will die.

The income tax is the thing. Reduce the tariff and try the fat from the millionaires. No other steps would go farther toward relieving the masses and equalizing the burdens of taxation. With a democratic House, Senate and President the people must have relief. Who will have the courage to introduce an income tax bill and push it to a final passage? It should be done.—Paducah News.

What a pity there is not enough offices at the President's disposal to give every Democrat in the land at least one. Some of them will have to go office hungry.—Earlington Bee.

It occurs to us, brother Bee, that the pity might appropriately be used on another party; there will be more people on your side of the house going office-hungry in a few months than an ordinary stock of pity can reach.

The ambition of the average Republican in there, is gloomy post-election days, is to get the Democrats to legislate according to his notion of how Democrats should legislate. His predictions have, all along, been that when the country fills into the hands of the Democrats, affairs would go to the demotion bow-wows. Soon the country will be in the hands of the Democrats, and his reputation as a prophet is in a hazardous condition, and to protect be as anxious to be the guiding star of the victorious party, hoping to lead it upon reefs or sand bars. Boys, you may put this in your hat: It was not by your grace the party was trusted with power, and your advice will not be needed in its councils. You have had your time; take a back seat, eat your crow, and remember that you now have the job which the Democrats held so long.

Mr. Frederick Douglass is out in a manifesto on the subject of the recent election, in which he expresses the opinion that the colored people of the South will find better protection against outrage under the Cleveland administration than they have found under the administration of Harrison. He pathetically points out that the law should protect the weak against the strong. So it should. But in the cases to which he refers he very badly mixes the elements of strength and weakness. He classifies the white who do the lynchings as the strong, and the negroes who are lynched as the weak. The fact is that the weak in such matters are the unfortunate and helpless women, and the strong are the bully and brutal negroes who outrage them. No law and no administration can ever stand between such brutal crimes and their prompt and terrible punishment. The only way to stop the lynchings is to stop the revivings.—Globe-Democrat.

Dr. Scott, President Harrison's father-in-law died Tuesday.

Senator Teller, of Colorado, says "One day or other a free-silver bill must be passed."

When asked if the tariff would be reduced speaker Crisp said: "That is what the Democrats are elected to do, and you may be sure it will be done. There is no disagreement on the tariff question, for the people have spoken."

Kentucky's chosen electors will meet at Frankfort on the second Monday in January and cast their votes for Cleveland and Stephens, and choose a messenger to take the vote to Washington. There are several persons desiring of being that messenger and among the number is Mr. J. J. Glenn, of Madisonville.

North Dakota Dilemma.

Bismark, N. D., Nov. 29.—If the votes of 120 Indians, taken in the recent election are counted the state gives fifteen majority for Harrison. If the Indian votes are thrown out the state is for Weaver. There will likely be a legal contest to settle the question.

Holter Kuhl.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 29.—Capt. R. F. Kuhl is said to have no desire to attempt to be inaugurated governor of Alabama. Some of his followers, however, are urging him in every way possible to maintain the stand he has taken and continue to assert his election and right to the gubernatorial chair. They threaten to lynch him if he weakens and backs out.

MAY BE DIVIDED.

The Result in California in Close That it May Turn Out a Split.

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—The official vote of all the counties in California, with the exception of San Francisco, gives Harrison a plurality of 6,422.

The returns from all but nine precincts in this city reduce Harrison's plurality in the State to 310. It is possible that when the official vote has been completed upon individual electors, the electoral vote may be divided between Harrison and Cleveland.

KIDNAPED BY INDIANS.

The Fate of a Kentucky Girl Who Wanted to be a "Medicine Man."

George Corbett, of Livermore, Ky., arrived at English, the little town noted for its frequent sensations, located on the Air Line railroad, Saturday in pursuit of a band of Cherokee Indians, who abducted his 7-year old daughter. He overtook the fugitives in camp eight miles west of the town and recovered the girl Corbett immediately returned with his child to her mother after a three weeks' absence. Nellie, an only child, is large for her age. She was furnished \$8 and sent to an aunt near Henderson to attend school. The Cherokees are fake doctors and well-known about Livermore. Nellie met them as she got off the train and was induced by them to accompany them and learn to be a doctor. She soon wearied of the life and begged to be returned, when they reached New Middletown, Harrison county, where her tears and their threats won the sympathy and confidence of an old negro who posted letters for her aunt and father. The abductors are known as the Miller gang.—Evansville Courier.

CARRSVILLE.

This afternoon the people of Lola, Salem and Rosedale met at this place for the purpose of having a ratification jubilee and notwithstanding the streets were very muddy. The infusion of Democratic enthusiasm was so great that there was no hesitancy on the part of either man, woman or child to participate in the celebration. The Salem Glee Club arrived about noon and from then until dark people were coming from all directions, by which time the streets were alive with over joyed Democrats; while Republicans were hunting their places of abode, not appearing to want to see or hear what was said or done. At six o'clock the torches, banners, etc., were handed out and the procession started on march, headed by the Salem Glee Club, then the Carrsville Glee Club, next with part of the Rosedale Club present, the entire membership not having arrived, from what cause we are not able to state. The line of march was from E. S. Easton on Chesnut Street to Main and Second, down Main to the Bridges Hotel, near the river, then back to First, down First, passing the post office. Then it appeared that every man, woman, boy and girl tried to see which could hallow the loudest. Passing the post office they marched to the mound, between Chesnut and Locust Streets, where waves the national colors 130 feet high, here they formed a circle and the Glee Clubs united in singing some appropriate songs. Then again the march was resumed, marching to the school

house where they were to listen to Prof. Tom Stubbs, but on reaching the house it was found that there was not standing room for one fourth the crowd, so it was arranged to go to the Crozier ware house, to which place the procession marched. Every thing went on lovely except the interference of a couple of drunken toughs, who rode frequently across the line and using profane language. And I had almost forgot to say we had one more unesence in the person of whom was so badly snowed under that he did not know his name and certainly lost his manners but he received a good drubbing at the ware house from Tom Stubbs, who handled him without gloves to the gratification of the entire crowd. Mr. Stubbs spoke for about an hour and was heartily cheered. Tom is both a critic and a mimic, and a hard working Democratic, having made over one hundred speeches during the campaign. Mr. Stubbs is a Kentuckian by birth, and was raised in Crittenden county. Received his early education under Gabriel Dunkin, and was taught Democracy by old E. G. Wallace, has improved his talent by hard work and experience; and is destined to be one of the leading politicians in Southern Illinois where he now lives. Tom was mail agent on one of our local packets during the last year of Cleveland's administration and made a good agent.

Carrsville is at a loss to know where to get a man to succeed A. Lickens the present incumbent of the Carrsville post office. There will be several applicants. We understand that every merchant, clerks, grocer, blacksmith, shoe maker, cooper, butcher, daymen, farmer, laborer, and in fact almost every man and widow woman residing in and near Carrsville are waiting in the post office, and one man from Crittenden county has expressed his willingness to accept the position forthwith. We are told that he went to Marion several days ago in order to confer with Capt. Stone in regard to his appointment. We are afraid his chances are rather slim, at least until after the 4th of March next, as we don't believe there will be many post office appointments made by a Democratic post office department until after Cleveland is inaugurated and then, oh! how many there will be left out who are so willing and ready to serve their country if by so doing they can advance their own pecuniary interests. Good Luck.

FREDONA.

Ben Wigginton has a boy named Cleveland that is nearly as old as the November election I guess these will not be many boys named Harrison very soon in this county.

A S Threlkeld and wife are both sick in bed with fever.

Sam Ramago has been very low with pneumonia fever for the past week but is improving slowly.

Mrs Blair is very low of pneumonia and several of C S Jackson's family are on the sick list.

The meeting is still in progress at night but not so many at the day service.

Johnson Byrd went to Louisville last week and sold his saddle horse for \$175.

Only a few from Bethlehem have been to the meeting here, the roads are so bad.

Not 50 cents, but less than that, is what it costs us per day to run our store.

We buy our clothing not cash and never pay as much as a suit is worth.

We sell our clothing not cash and never charge more than a suit is worth.

Howerton's is the place for ladies to buy their dress goods, trimmings, etc.

Come to Howerton's for men's over coats of all kinds.

S C Bennett and wife of Caldwell Springs were visiting relatives in Keely Saturday and Sunday.

Albert Boaz is on the sick list.

R R Pickens was here Monday looking after the balance of taxes due him.

Don't forget to pay B A Jacobs that little account you have owned so long.

The creamery seems to be in a prosperous condition a great demand for the butter and cheese at prices that would pay well if the machinery could be kept running.

Come in if possible and settle up. Take a fresh start in life and be happy.

B. A. Jacobs. Observer.

FORDS FERRY.

James Rankin went to Commercial Point this week on business.

Miss Young the teacher has given entire satisfaction; the young people regret that Miss Nannie will leave our town.

LEVIAS.

Robt L. Rue is building a business house in our village.

E L. Franklin is building a neat residence here.

Dr. Paris has moved from Levias to the Anthony Franklin farm.

Mrs Mary Franklin has just completed the best stock barn in this end of the county.

CINCINNATI'S NEW PAPER.

It Will Be Called The Tribune, Will Sell for Two Cents, and Speak for Southern Interests.

The new morning paper for Cincinnati is a certainty. One of the strongest companies ever organized in Cincinnati for any purpose is back of it. The list of stockholders comprises nearly one hundred of the leading business men of that city. The capital stock is \$200,000. Its directors are Archer Brown, President; Stephen H. Wilder, Treasurer; Albert Lawson, Secretary; James N. Gamble, Aaron A. Ferris, James J. Hooker, Alexander Offner, Albert Erkenbrecher.

The Tribune (which is to be the name of the new paper) will occupy one of the handsomest buildings in the city, on Main street, directly opposite the post office. Hoe & Co., of New York, are working on the finest equipment for it ever ordered from Cincinnati. The Tribune will be entirely free from sensationalism of every kind, and it is the intention to make it the best and most popular paper in the Ohio valley. It will be independent Republican in politics, and will sell for two cents. Albert Lawson, late with the St. Louis Republic will be The Tribune's managing editor. and Charles H. Scott, late with the Chicago Herald, will be its business manager. The Tribune will make its appearance about the holidays. The owners purpose giving special attention to the industrial and commercial interests of the South, in which the merchants of Cincinnati have a deep interest, notwithstanding the contrary tone of some Cincinnati journals. The price of The Tribune by mail will be 50 cents per month or \$6.00 per year.

A SLEEP.

Little Bertha only daughter of T. N. and Carrie Wofford, died Tuesday morning, Nov. 22, 1892, after an illness of only a few days.

Bertha was five years ten months and twenty-nine days old, and was uncommonly bright for one of her age. She was an affectionate child, loved by both old and young and will be sadly missed by all.

She suffered greatly during her sickness, but in death she had the sweet smile on her face which told she suffered no longer.

Only a few hours before she died she asked us to sing for her; one song did not satisfy her, we sang again, and in a short time she told her mother good night, said she was going to sleep. She remained conscious to the last and asked for water a few minutes before she died.

She loved books and would often get her book and say, "mama I will read for you." She learned very fast and was a pet in school.

Yes, Bertha is gone. When the family gathered around the fire side and around the table one chair will always be vacant. But while her voice is forever still on earth, we know she is singing with the angels. Bertha is not dead but sleeping.

She was buried at the Mt. Zion grave yard, where quite a number of friends gathered for the last earthly look of little Bertha.

Dear parents, do not grieve for Bertha, you can not call her back, but prepare to meet her in that bright home where parting never comes.

HER TEACHER.

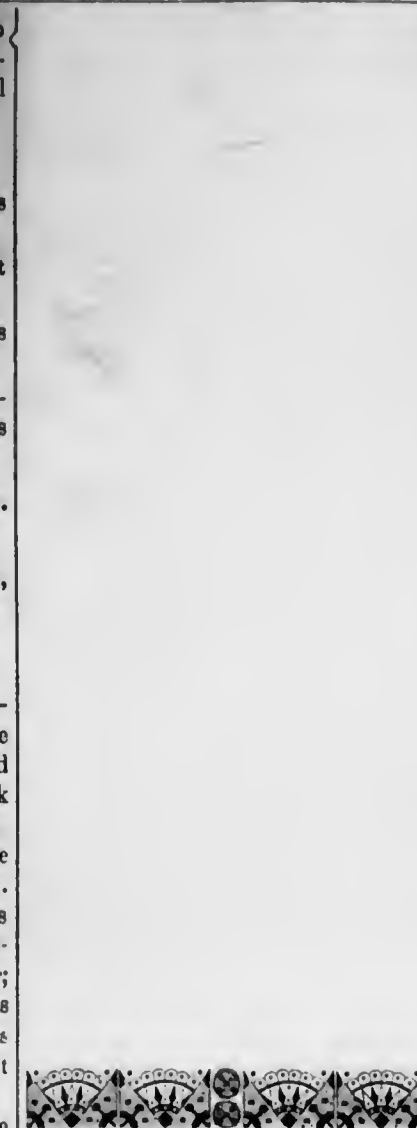
A Handsome Line of Holiday Goods will be opened

at R. C. WALKER'S BOOK STORE Next Week.

NEW YORK CORRESPONDENCE

SCHOOL OF LAW FOR HOME STUDY 243 BROADWAY N.Y. INTRODUCTORY LECTURE FREE

The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.



Conversation - BETWEEN - J. H. Morse And one of his CUSTOMERS:

Customer: Say, Morse, how is it that you can sell goods so much cheaper than other merchants.

Morse: Well, my friend, that is easy explained. In the first place, you know that goods of all kinds have been gradually coming down for the last ten years.

Customer: Yes.

Morse: Well, you see all these merchants have on hand a great many goods that they bought from two to fifteen years ago and you see I can buy the same kind of goods now and sell them for less money than they cost five years ago.

Customer: Oh, I see now. Why it is so many are selling at cost. They can buy new goods for less money than the old one's cost.

Morse: That it exactly. And say, friend, you tell all the people out in your country that Morse has the only new stock of goods in Marion, and he don't aim to keep them until they get old. They must go at some price.



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Cleveland and Stevenson

Left all competitors away out of sight, so the

WHITE Sewing Machine Exhibit

to be given in Marion, Ky., December 5th to 10th, inclusive, will leave all rival exhibits so far behind that the sun will rise in the west before they will ever catch up. This exhibit will be given by one of the finest sewing machine experts in the United States, direct from the company's headquarters at Cleveland, Ohio. The work shown will embrace everything imaginable ever done by a sewing machine, and we will not exhibit a piece of work that cannot be duplicated.

Come One! Come All!!

ITS FREE AS WATER.

ITS FREE AS AIR.

And every grown woman in the counties of Crittenden and Livingston, by coming to this exhibit and registering her name shall have a free and fair chance to draw the capital prize of one fine \$50 new White Sewing Machine, the KING of all sewing machines, with all the attachments and plenty of instructions. The possession of a White Sewing Machine fixes one for life. They last a lifetime.

REMEMBER THE DAYS!!

REMEMBER THE DATES!!

DECEMBER 5 TO 10 INCLUSIVE!!

In the Moore & Donakey old stand between M. Schwab and Pierce & Son. Don't miss this chance to get a sewing machine

FREE!!!

YOURS TRULY,

GEO. M. CRIDER.

A SPLENDID OFFER.

A 3-4 Life Sized Portrait Free.

Having made arrangements with the largest Portrait Copying house in this country whereby we guarantee to buy of them a large number of their portraits at their lowest wholesale cash rates (as an advertisement for their work) we are now prepared to offer to our customers (for a short time), when their purchases have amounted to \$10 at our store, a 3-4 life sized Crayon and Ink Portrait, copied from any good photo, they may select free of charge. These beautiful portraits are of the same size and quality as have been retailed for years at \$10 each. In consideration that an unframed portrait would be a poor advertisement to the copying house, they made it conditional upon us that we sell a frame with each portrait, which they are to furnish at wholesale for \$3.50 each.

We give you the portrait free as a premium on purchase of goods, and secure you the frame at lowest wholesale prices.

Secure a ticket before we exhaust our number, as no more can be secured on these terms.

WALKER & OLIVE.

WE ARE NOW

As WE Have Always Been

and always will be the only Grocery in the county. There has never been a time when goods in our line

Went UP or DOWN

but that I have advised NOT ONLY OUR CUSTOMERS but the people of the three counties have been guided and never deceived. Have told them when to buy and when not to buy. We will now give you a few of our leading articles and prices of what we have to sell:

Car load lime, 90c per bb; for price \$1.15 before I handled it.

Granulated sugar, 13 lbs for \$1.

Dark C sugar, 21 lbs for \$1.

Medium coffee, 6 lbs for \$1.

Very best coffee, 5 lbs for \$1.

Very best flour, every pound guaranteed, \$2 per cwt.

2 bars soap 5 cts.

Wash boards, single 15c, double 25c; the best there is in the market.

1 gallon tin buckets 10c; half gallon 15c; 2 gallon 20c.

Set of spoons 5c; Splendid set knives and forks 50c.

Coffee pots from 10c to 25c.

Nails 10 per cent cheaper than anyone.

In Glass and Queensware we have the largest and prettiest stock that was ever kept. Have ordered and will receive

NEXT WEEK

Michigan cabbage, sweet mixed pickles, mackerel, and a great many other things in the fancy grocery line never before kept in the town. Still have a full supply of grass seeds that I will sell at market price. In addition to the above, I will pay you

IN CASH

for your Hides, Feathers, Wool, Eggs, Dried Fruit, and all other country produce, except potatoes, onions, sorghum molasses, for which I will pay the highest market price in goods. Just received a car load of salt.

M. SCHWAB.

STRIKE WHILE The Iron Is Hot.

We will only be here 30 days longer and during this time we will save you 500 PER CENT on your winter clothing. We want to

CLOSE OUT

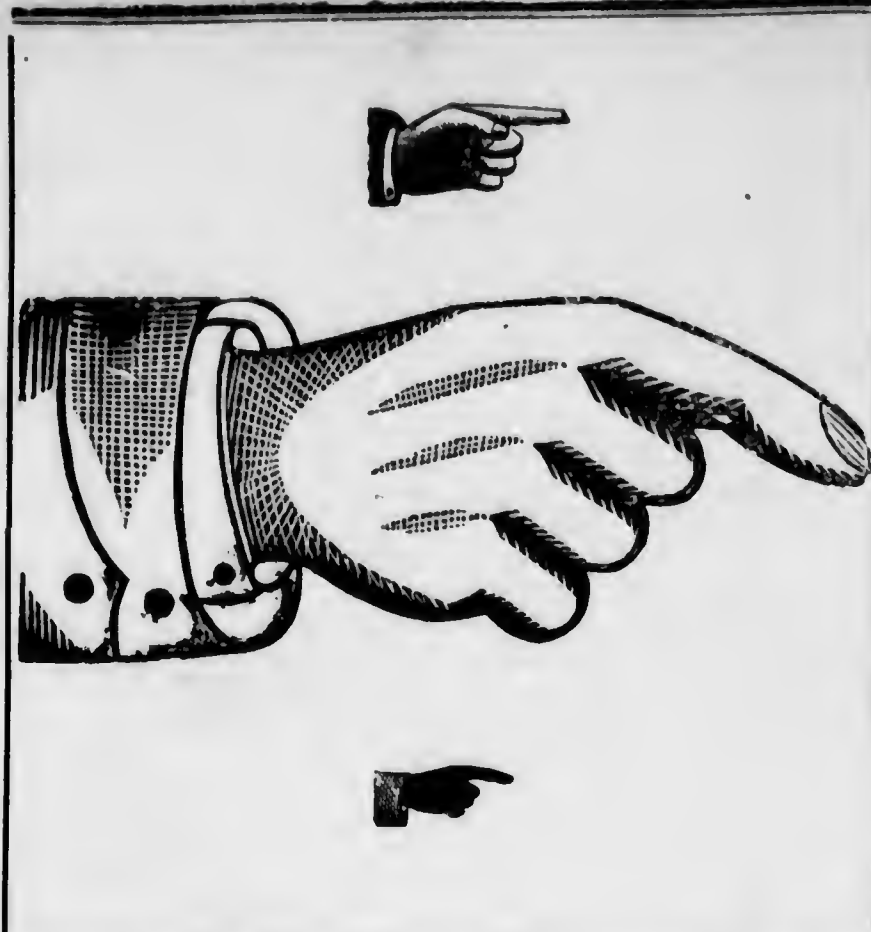
our entire stock before leaving and to make quick sales we'll you an All Wool Coat worth from \$8 to \$10 for \$1.75 to 3.00; overcoats worth \$10.00 to \$15 for \$3.00 to 5.00.

Don't miss this grand opportunity, come and see

QUIREY BROS.

Quinine racks the nerves, "Q. C. C. Certain Chill Cure" racks Malaria and Chills. No cure, no pay.

"Q. C. C. Certain Chill Cure" is pleasant to take and harmless. Children like it. Guaranteed to cure Chills and Fever.



DON'T SPEND A NICKLE OF YOUR MONEY —FOR— Dry Goods, Clothing, AND HATS,

Until you see us, as we are the people who knocked the bottom out of prices and give you the VERY BEST GOODS that can be had for the money. We have again commenced our

WINTER CLEARANCE SALE,

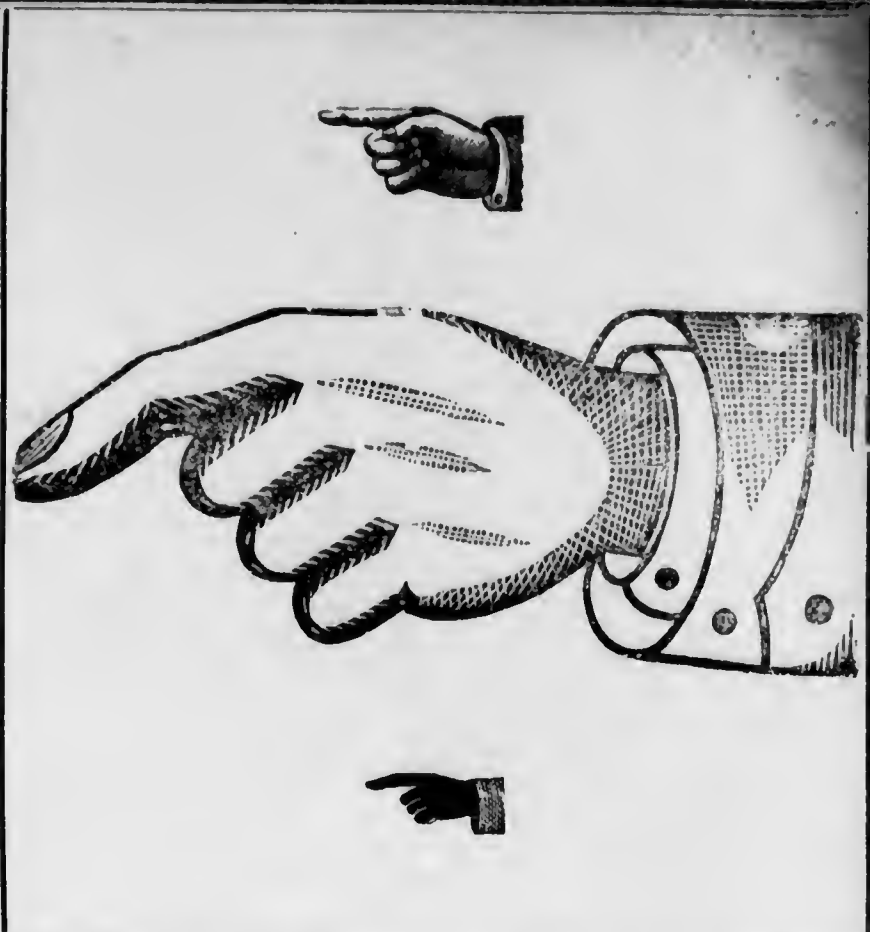
And our stock must be reduced. Our overcoats for men and boys marked down and must be closed out. Don't fail to see our BOOTS and SHOES; they are cheaper than the cheapest. We have a lot of Ladies Cloaks and Jackets, and if you need any of the kind we can suit you. Childrens Cloaks at cost. Our

DRESS GOODS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, and all kinds of DRY GOODS

Must be closed out. Remember WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

RED FRONT.

PIERCE, YANDELL, GUGENHEIM CO.



All those knowing themselves indebted to me either by note or account must come and settle at once.
Mrs. G. WOLFE.

Dr. R. Moore's

NEW
Drug Store

Is Headquarters for
The Purest, Freshest

DRUGS

ON THE MARKET

Prescriptions filled, at all hours day or night, by a graduate Pharmacist.

Next Door to Bank.

LOCAL NEWS.

THURSDAY, DEC. 1, 1892.

Lookout for the assessor.
Push those new sidewalks.
Circuit court next Monday.
What about the new cemetery.
Sewing machine given away Dec. 10.
There are forty-five new cases on the Circuit Court docket.
There will be a big crowd in town Monday.

The creamery is gathering new milk customers.

Two good horses for sale cheap on time.
Geo. M. Crider.

Buy a Charter Oak cook stove from Pierce & Son.

Mr. J. F. Loyd talks of building a residence in Marion.

Leekcut! for the White Sewing Machine exhibit Dec. 5th to 10th.

Marion roller mill is now running night and day.

There is some talk of building a Christian church in Marion.

Guns! guns! Cheap, cheaper, cheapest, at Pierce & Son.

Services were held at the C. P. church Thanksgiving day.

R. J. Nunn shipped three car load of hogs from Repton Saturday.

Dec. 5 to 10th White Sewing Machine exhibit.

Clothing and overcoats cheaper than ever at

Pierce and Eugeneheim & Co.

Rev. Jas. F. Price is publishing a book the title of which is: "Is the Holiness Theory Correct?"

A. H. Cardin has purchased 300,000 pounds of Caldwell county tobacco.

The old Arch Davidson tobacco warehouse for sale or rent.

Geo. M. Crider.

WANTED:—60000 feet of poplar and gum lumber.

Marion Plaining Mill.

The Charter Oak Stove is Queen of the kitchen—sold only by Pierce & Son.

Pork and lard for sale by the retail or wholesale, cheap as the cheapest.

Joel Conger.

The County Third party committee will hold a meeting at Marion next Monday.

The distillers and quart houses may not always be in it, but the drug houses are all right.

50 childrens cloaks regardless of profit at

Pierce and Eugeneheim & Co.

Mr. James Lemon has gone into the butter and cheese factory to learn the business.

The parties from whom I have purchased tobacco in the Caldwell Springs neighborhood, are requested to deliver same at my farm, instead of at Marion.

A. H. Cardin.

This is about the time of the year when the boys find it convenient to visit friends in the country.

If you want a bargain now is the time to get it. Mrs. S. K. Dorr.

Mr. A. J. Pickens has purchased the Carnahan tract of land, just east of town, for \$40 per acre.

Rumor says that A. Wilbern will be the next Master Commissioner of the Crittenden Circuit Court.

Don't forget I am closing out my hats at cost. Sallie K. Dorr.

Renew your subscription to the Press. Attend to this little matter when you are in town next week.

We sell all kinds of sewing machine repairs—oil, needles, bobbins, shuttles, etc. Geo. M. Crider.

Mr. L. F. Sasseen was before the board pension medical examiners for examination yesterday.

If I can't tell you a hat, I will give you one. Come and see them. Mrs. S. K. Dorr.

Don't lose sight of the fact that the Charter Oak is the best cook stove on the market.

Pierce & Son Agents.

Fresh grapes and all kinds of fruits, the finest, freshest and best candies always on hands. Call and you will always get the best.

B. F. McMeen.

The examining trial of R. B. Thompson, one of the principals in the Carville shooting scrape, will be held. Messrs. J. K. Hendrick and L. D. Hubbard will represent the defense.

In connection with the hats, I have boys, girls and baby's caps, I will also sell at cost.

SALLIE K. DORR.

Last week sheriff Cruce put James Thomas and Albert Sullenger under a bond of \$100 each to answer, at the next term of Circuit Court, the charge of disturbing religious worship.

The first post-office to change hands in this county is the Weston office. Last week post master Rufus Wilson moved to the country, turning the office over to that staunch Democrat Luther Rankin.

Ladies now is the time to get you a cheap hat, I will from new until the first of January sell my winter hats at cost. Come and see the n before buying elsewhere.

SALLIE K. DORR.

Messrs Thurman & Truitt have posted the notice, stating that they will apply, at the next term of county court, for druggists licenses to sell liquor in connection with their drug business at Weston.

Mr. A. H. Cardin began receiving tobacco at his house at this place Monday. His purchases Saturday amounted to over half a million pounds. Mr. Baird will have charge of the house at Marion this year.

The newest trading men in Marion are Ham Loving and A. J. Pickens. A \$500 trade era \$10,000 trade, in real estate is one and the same to them. They have judgments like a "hoss" too.

The probabilities are that there will be a law suit over the collection of the insurance money of the late Mr. S. C. Haynes. The A. O. U. W. report that he was under suspension at the time of his death, and consequently had forfeited his claim upon the order.

E. A. Nuckols, the negro who shot and killed his wife at Grand Rivers a few weeks ago, has been held to answer to the charge of murder at the next term of the circuit court at Smithland.—Paducah Standard.

Hereafter no citizen of Marion will be allowed to keep more than three hogs on the street without a license. As there are 1000 citizens and each can pasture but three hogs on the street, we will probably not have over 3000 swine basking in the sunshine of the street. This will be an improvement over the old style of letting over man grass as many hogs as he pleases.

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Among the best men in the mail service is Mr. Edgar James, of this place. He was appointed under Cleveland, and his efficiency and industry, carried him through the Republican administration. As a clerk he is one among a thousand; he has been called up for examination after time, and the errors scored against him could be counted on one's finger. The records as well as those in position to know, say there is no better clerk in the service. Having run the gauntlet, and come out without so much as a scratch, he naturally hopes to be promoted, and will ask to be made chief clerk of the division, with headquarters at Louisville. If sound Democracy, backed by eminent qualifications and the words full of friends stands any show under the administration, he is going to win.

One of the most elegant affairs of the Thanksgiving week was a bird supper at the Marion Hotel. It was gotten up by a number of young men, and made a success by the young ladies who graced the occasion with their presence. The men embraced all the delicacies of the season, and after the birds had been dissected, and the numerous dainties appropriately disposed, the post-prandial speeches were served. Mr. O. M. James was the toast master and royally too, did he meet the demands of the occasion. Toasts were responded to by Messrs C. S. Nunn, R. D. Brown, H. K. Woods, S. Gugenheim, A. M. Straub and W. D. Baird. The young ladies present were Misses Elvia Crider, Mattie and Fannie Blue, Nellie Wilson, Nellie Walker, Ina Woods, Lillie and Beaa Coffield, Alice Browning, Nannie Nunn, Ada Bracey, Lemah Barnes and Madames Crider, Lov and Williams.

Mon. Sam O. Nunn, of Crittenden county, was in town Monday feeling the pulse of the people in regard to making the race for the State Senate next year. From the many expressions we heard we are justified in saying he will have a strong following in Caldwell county. Personally he is a very popular, affable gentleman, a strong fighter, a good electioneer, and altogether a capable man. Through courtesy between Caldwell, Webster and Crittenden the latter county will furnish the Democratic candidate this time, and it may be set down with a certainty that Sam Nunn will be right in the race.—Princeton Banner.

An effort will be made to have a post office established at Piney Fork, this county. As this is a thickly settled neighborhood, some distance from a post-office, and as there are but two or three Democrats in the settlement, while accommodating the people, it would give one of the three lonesome Democrats an office, which though not a lucrative one, nevertheless it would be an office.

When the board of town trustees and the city marshal undertake to lecture each other for slackness in the performance of duties there is fun, but it is rather difficult to tell upon which side the joke falls. Now if the two departments together could get together and all three throw "jaw" at each other, wouldn't there be a great old time.

An effort is being made to change the location of the bridge, for which the magistrates made an appropriation of \$2000, at Ford's Ferry. A petition is in circulation asking the court to locate the bridge at Dunn Spring instead of at Ford's Ferry. It is reported that the petition is being largely signed.

Among the difficult tasks the school trustees of the Marion district have is that of collecting the per capita tax on pupils, for full and other incidental expenses. No board has yet succeeded in collecting 50 per cent of the amount.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. A. Lamb, of Eddyville, is in town.

Mr. A. C. Moore was in Salem Friday.

Mrs. G. Wolf is visiting friends in Paducah.

Judge T. J. Nunn was in Smithland Monday.

W. T. Crawford, of Telu, was in town Monday.

Mr. J. A. Stegar, of Princeton, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Wiley Dollar, of Caldwell, was in town Monday.

Rev. H. G. Summers, of Crofton, was in town Tuesday.

W. I. Cruce and family went to Princeton Wednesday.

Mr. Fannie Hearin is recovering from his severe illness.

Rev. W. B. Crichtow, of Salem, was in town yesterday.

S. W. Adams, of Owensboro, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. John R. Griffith has moved from Eddyville to Henderson.

Mr. L. F. Sasseen, of Caldwell county, was in town Wednesday.

G. W. Hewerton and H. T. Flannery went to Fredonia yesterday.

Mr. F. E. Robertson has been sick several days. He is confined to his room.

Mr. David Manse, of Carraville, was in town Friday, enroute to Evansville.

J. W. Blue went to Princeton yesterday to attend to business in Circuit court.

Mrs. Sallie Bass, of Nashville, is visiting her son, John and James, of this county.

Mr. A. Murphy, who left this county three weeks ago, has located at Porterville, Mo.

Mr. J. F. Wyatt, one of the extensive farmers of the Salem Valley was in town Friday.

Mr. W. D. Baird and Dr. J. H. Orme attended the Cleveland Ball at Salem Tuesday night.

Messrs. John T. Pickens and B. L. Wilborn attended United States Court at Paducah last week.

Mr. C. W. Baldwin has moved from his farm, near Shady Grove, to his residence in Marion.

Mr. E. E. Thurman, the druggist at Weston, was in town Monday. He is doing a good business.

Col. T. T. Barnett, of Elizabethtown, Ill., was in town Friday. He expects to move back to Kentucky soon.

Mr. Gillman Farewell was called to his home at Franklin, Ky., Monday night by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother.

Eld. L. P. Conger left Monday night for Indian Territory. His family accompanied him. He goes for the purpose of engaging actively in the ministry of the gospel.

Chas. Chaney returned to his work in the zinc mines in Crittenden county, Ky., last week, having been called here by the death of his father.—Elizabethtown Independent.

Mr. W. R. Cruce is spending a few weeks at his home in this county. He has a pleasant as well as lucrative position as traveling salesman for a large firm of St. Louis. His territory embraces several Southern and Western States.

Mr. Geo. Dyer, mail clerk on the O. V., was in town Thursday, mixing with his friends. Having served faithfully and efficiently as a clerk in the service, George now aspires to be a post office inspector. He is deserving and capable, and a Democrat from away back; and the Press hopes that he will succeed.

Mrs. Drew Johnson, after spending two weeks with her relatives in this county, returned to her home at Ridgeway, Ill., yesterday. She is a sister of Mr. John D. Baz. She was raised in this county, but it has

been sixteen years since she paid the county a visit. Mr. Sol Baz, her brother accompanied her home.

Judge T. J. Nunn, of Marion, will remove to Madisonville to engage in the practice of law having formed a partnership with Mr. Waddle the former partner of Judge Pratt. Marion will scarcely seem like Marion, nor Crittenden county like herself without Judge Nunn and his pleasant family as citizens.—Smithland News.

Mr. A. M. Heary put up a couple of handsome tombstones at Sugar Grove cemetery Thursday. One marks the last resting place of Marion Clement, Jr., and the other for the grave of W. E. Pickens.

There will be a property tax for county purposes next year. The \$1.50 poll tax, which is the highest amount that can be levied, will not meet the demand of current expenses and keep up the interest on the debt. The expenses incident to the inauguration of the new election law, and the new bridges, for which appropriations have been made considerable demand on our exchequer.

Made an Assignment.

This forenoon M. L. Hays, who conducted a grocery on Broadway, opposite the Burnett & Puryear warehouse, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, who are mostly, it not entirely, Paducah merchants. His liabilities and assets are placed at about \$1,200 each.

Mr. H. H. Hebron is his assignee.—Paducah News.

I will pay cash for Irish potatoes. M. Schwab.

Officers Elected.

At the regular meeting of Blackwell Lodge, K. P., Friday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

H. A. Haynes, C. C.
R. D. Browning, V. C.
W. D. Cannon, Prel.
R. C. Walker, K. of R. and S.
Hermes Wolf, M. A.
S. Gugenheim, M. E.
H. Kolinsky, M. F.
J. A. Hurley, Trustee.

Mr. Ben Martin, proprietor of the feather renovator, has been doing an immense business since his arrival in Marion. His process of cleaning feathers is the best known, and is certainly an admirable process for cleaning and giving new life to feathers. It leaves them as clean, neat and soft as when new, removing all of the impurities, and giving them the downy warm quality which makes them so pleasant and comfortable. Mr. Martin is reliable man and represents a reliable company. His men are visiting the people, taking and returning the beds, have your beds renovated, making them healthier as well as more comfortable. Price very reasonable.

Most of the citizens of Marion have patronized Mr. Martin, and all are well pleased with his work.

I will be in Salem on Dec 18th 19th and 20th, with a full line of all kinds of jewelry and spectacles. Call on me for bargains at the drug store. Ken Williams.

W. A. Letzinger also Agent of Marion, Ky.

FOR SALE.—A house and lot near Marion. The lot embraces 1 1/2 acres; box house of four rooms, smoke house, crib and stable, good outhouse. Will be sold cheap. R. C. Walker, Ag't.

Bring no potatoes during Christmas week, or on any Saturday, I will positively not receive them.

SCHWAB.

WEDDING BELLS.

COOK-MILES.

On Thursday evening Nov. 24, 1892, the interior of the Methodist church at Marion presented a lovely appearance. Decorated with evergreens, and flowers, while the soft white light threw a sheen of beauty over the room, revealing a large assembly of Marion's best people. It was the occasion of uniting in holy wedlock the lives of two well known and popular young people—Mr. P. E. Cook and Miss Fannie Miles. At 7:30 the notes of the organ announced the arrival of the wedding party, and as the last sweet notes of the organ died away, a hush fell upon the audience, and the happy young people were standing around the altar, ready to plight their vows. Mr. C. S. Nunn and Miss Laura Miles were the attendants; Rev. J. V. Guthrie with an impressive ceremony made them man and wife. The party then went to the residence of Mr. James Gilbert where they received the congratulations of friends, and an elegant supper was served.

Mr. Cook is one of our successful and prosperous young farmers, and his bride is the daughter of Mr. L. Miles, of this place. She is a refined and beautiful young lady, possessing all of the womanly virtues that adorn and make happy the home.

THE PRESENTS.

Breakfast set, pickle dishes and preserve stand, Mrs. W. B. Blue. Silver pickle easter, Mrs. Koltinsky. Pair of linen towels, Mrs. Doss. White silk handkerchief Miss Nellie Doss.

Head rest, Mrs. W. I. Cruce. Bouquet of flowers, Miss Lucy Walker.

Parlor lamp, Mr. Frank Dodge. Comb and brush, Mr. Clem Nunn. Dinner set, Miss Laura Miles. Table cloth and napkins Mrs. L. Miles.

Gold thimble Mrs. Willey, Augusta, Ark.

Pitcher and salt stand, Misses Bessie Carnahan and Nettie Moore. Linen towels Mrs. Gray. Silver sugar spoon Miss Mattie Blue.

Hand glass Dr. R. L. Moore. Parlor lamp, Mrs. Cochran. Butter dish Mrs. J. G. Rochester. Pickle dishes Miss Mag Wallingford.

Linen towels, Mrs. Rob Flannery. Linen towels, Mrs. S. D. Hodge. One dozen linen napkins, Mrs. John Flannery.

Handkerchiefs, Miss Nonie Blue, St. Louis, Mo.

Linen napkins and table cloth. Mr. J. W. Blue, Jr.

Silver tooth pick ladle and cake stand, Mrs. Hibbs, Madisonville, Ky. Mr. James B. Miles, \$25, Helena, Ark.

Canned fruit, Mrs. James Gilbert. Linen table cloth and napkins, Mr. E. C. Moore, Mattoon, Ky.

Dozen pictures, Mr. Charley Cook. Hand painted throne, Miss Ida Green, Kuttawa, Ky.

Bed spread, Mrs. Anna Krausser, St. Louis.

Dresser ornament, Mrs. W. M. Jones, Marietta, Ill.

Silver pie knife, Miss Wynne Jones and Mrs. Wm. Jeas, Marietta, Ill.

Married at the residence of the bride's mother Mrs. James Hughes, Miss Lucy Orr to Mr. Frank Moore. The attendants were Miss Mary Duval and Mr. Ros Hughes.

The bride and bride's maid were beautiful arrayed in gray, the gen dlemen in the usual black.

Mr. Moore is a prosperous young farmer of the Mattoon vicinity. The bride is one of the fairest daughters of the name.

We join in with the Press in wishing them success and happiness. A Witness.

Licenses to Wed.

F. E. Hilliard and Miss Ida E. Hilliard, Marion and Miss Don Miller.

More Petitions.

Boy—Pa, what was on that paper Mr. Smith wanted you to read.

Man—It was a petition for the post office, son.

Boy—Pa, why didn't you sign it?

Man—Because, son, I have a petition of my own.

Boy—Pa, has anybody signed your petition.

Man—No, my son, ever man I have seen yet had a petition of his own.

Boy—Pa, can't you get the women to sign your petition.

Man—No, my son, the women whose husbands have no petitions, have petitions themselves.

Boy—Pa, who will the people here get to sign their petitions.

Man—We will have to colonize voters from Pennsylvania, or Maine.

County Court Notes.

Finis Shuttleworth appointed road overseer.

B. F. McMeen allowed \$1.65 for lodging and boarding, Ruben Cook, a pauper.

In pursuance to the order made by the court of claims John P. Morton & Co., was allowed \$132.00 for printing ballots and other election supplies.

W. G. Carnahan allowed \$203.50 for both and ballot boxes, furnished by Geo. D. Barnard & Co., payable out of county levy of 1893 with 7 per cent interest.

Jonathan Polk allowed \$5.50 for right of way for public road.

R. J. Clement allowed \$1, for repairing bridge.

John G. Asher was, upon payment of the \$50 tax, allowed license to sell liquor as a druggist at Shady Grove.

A Handsome Picture.

Should be preserved in a good album. The album can be found at R. C. Walker's book-store. Prices from 50 cents to \$10.00.

Deaths Recorded.

J. C. James to Wm B. James 64 acres for \$1000.

W. B. Oliver to S. G. Lee 200 acres for \$2500.

S. D. Hodge to A. M. Gilbert, house and lot \$500.

W. E. Minner to Robt M. Young 15 acres for \$200.

A. J. Pickens to W. G. Carnahan, house and lot, \$2000.

W. G. Carnahan to A. J. Pickens 118 1/2 acres for \$4740.

J. H. Mayes to W. L. Hughes interest in land for \$75.

T. M. Hamilton to Sallie A. Milkan 32 1/2 acres for \$175.

E. S. Moore to J. G. Hamilton 83 acres for \$400.

Jas W. Samuels to J. H. Stanley interest in land for \$150.

M. F. Thrift to Bennett Barnes interest in land for \$135.

J. G. Asher to S. A. Frazer lot in Shady Grove for \$525.

C. Barnaby Jr., to C. Barnaby, Sr, interest in land for \$500.

I have moved into the business house recently occupied by Mrs. Wolf, and in addition to my stock, I will run a first class restaurant, serving the best meals and lunch at all hours. When in town at Circuit Court, call. B. F. McMeen.

To Taxpayers.

The election is over, and the result, to which I cheerfully bow, will compel me to wind up my business at once. I must settle up with the State, and must do so at once. There can be no delay. Next week my two deputies will begin the collection of the unpaid taxes in earnest, and will keep at it until complete. I must have the money without delay, I mean by this that if the money is not forth-coming, I shall levy without further ado. This is not brag or bluster, but I must protect myself and my securities, and I will

DON'T SPEND A NICKLE OF YOUR MONEY FOR Dry Goods, Clothing, AND HATS, WINTER CLEARANCE SALE, DRESS GOODS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, and all kinds of DRY GOODS PIERCE, YANDELL, GUGENHEIM CO.

Until you see us, as we are the people who knocked the bottom out of prices and gave you the VERY BEST GOODS that can be had for the money. We have again commenced our

And our stock must be reduced. Our overcoats for men and boys marked down and must be closed out. Don't fail to see our BOOTS and SHOES; they are cheaper than the cheapest. We have a lot of Ladies Cloaks and Jackets, and if you need any of the kind we can suit you. Childrens Cloaks at cost. Our

Must be closed out. Remember WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

RED FRONT.

All those knowing themselves indebted to me either by note or account must come and settle at once.
Mrs. G. Wolff.

Dr. R. Moore's,
NEW
Drug Store
Is Headquarters for
The Purest, Freshest
DRUGS
ON THE MARKET
Prescriptions filled, at all hours day or night, by a graduate Pharmacist.
Next Door to Bank.

LOCAL NEWS.

THURSDAY, DEC. 1, 1892.

Lookout for the assessor.
Push those new sidewalks.
Circuit court next Monday.
What about the new cemetery.
Sewing machine given away Dec. 10.
There are forty-five new cases on the Circuit Court docket.
There will be a big crowd in town Monday.
The creamery is gathering new milk customers.
Two good horses for sale cheap on time.
Geo. M. Crider.
Buy a Charter Oak cook stove from Pierce & Son.
Mr. J. F. Loyd talks of building a residence in Marion.
Lookout! for the White Sewing Machine exhibit Dec. 5th to 10th.
Marion roller mill is now running night and day.
There is some talk of building a Christian church in Marion.
Gun! gun! guns! Cheap, cheaper, cheapest, at Pierce & Son.
Services were held at the C. P. church Thanksgiving day.
R. J. Nunn shipped three car load of hogs from Repton Saturday.
Dec. 5 to 10th White Sewing Machine exhibit.
Clothing and overcoats cheaper than ever at
Pierce Yandell Gugenheim & Co.
Rev. Jas. F. Price is publishing a book the title of which is: "Is the Holiness Theory Correct?"
A. H. Cardin has purchased 300,000 pounds of Caldwell county tobacco.
The old Arch Davidson tobacco warehouse for sale or rent.
Geo. M. Crider.
WANTED:—60000 feet of popular and gum lumber.
Marion Plaining Mill.
The Charter Oak Stove is Queen of the kitchen—sold only by Pierce & Son.
Pork and lard for sale by the retail or wholesale, cheap as the cheapest.
Josiah Conger.
The County Third party committee will hold a meeting at Marion next Monday.
The distillers and quart houses may not always be in it, but the drug houses are all right.
50 children cloaks regardless of profit at
Pierce Yandell Gugenheim & Co.
Mr. James Lemon has gone into the butter and cheese factory to learn the business.
The parties from whom I have purchased tobacco in the Caldwell Springs neighborhood, are requested to deliver same at my farm, instead of at Marion.
A. H. Cardin.

This is about the time of the year when the boys find it convenient to visit friends in the country.

If you want a bargain now is the time to get it. Mrs. S. K. Dorr.
Mr. A. J. Pickens has purchased the Carnahan tract of land, just east of town, for \$40 per acre.
Rumor says that A. Wilborn will be the next Master Commissioner of the Crittenden Circuit Court.
Don't forget I am closing out my hats at cost. Sallie K. Dorr.
Renew your subscription to the Press. Attend to this little matter when you are in town next week.
We sell all kinds of sewing machine repairs—oil, needles, bobbins, shuttles, ect. Geo. M. Crider.
Mr. L. F. Sasseen was before the board pension medical examiners for examination yesterday.
If I can't tell you a hat, I will give you one. Come and see them.
Mrs. S. K. Dorr.

Don't lose sight of the fact that the Charter Oak is the best cook stove on the market.

Pierce & Son Agents.
Fresh grapes and all kinds of fruits, the finest, freshest and best candies always on hands. Call and you will always get the best.
B. F. McMeican.

The examining trial of R. B. Thompson, one of the principals in the Carraville shooting scrape, will be held. Messrs. J. K. Hendrick and L. D. Husband will represent the defense.

In connection with the hats, I have boys, girls and baby's caps, I will also sell at cost.
SALLIE K. DORR.

Last week sheriff Cruce put James Thomas and Albert Sullenger under a bond of \$100 each to answer, at the next term of Circuit Court, the charge of disturbing religious worship.

The first post-office to change hands in this county is the Weston office. Last week post master Rufus Wilson moved to the country, turning the office over to that staunch Democrat Luther Rankin.

Ladies now is the time to get you a cheap hat, I will from now until the first of January sell my winter hats at cost. Come and see them before buying elsewhere.
SALLIE K. DORR.

Messrs Thurman & Truitt have posted the notice, stating that they will apply, at the next term of county court, for druggists licenses to sell liquor in connection with their drug business at Weston.

Mr. A. H. Cardin began receiving tobacco at his house at this place Monday. His purchases Saturday amounted to over half a million pounds. Mr. Baird will have charge of the house at Marion this year.

The nerviest trading men in Marion are Ham Loving and A. J. Pickens. A \$500 trade or a \$10,000 trade, in real estate is one and the same to them. They have judgments like a "hoss" too.

The probabilities are that there will be a law suit over the collection of the insurance money of the late Mr. S. C. Haynos. The A. O. U. W. report that he was under suspension at the time of his death, and consequently had forfeited his claim upon the order.

E. A. Nuckols, the negro who shot and killed his wife at Grand Rivers a few weeks ago, has been held to answer to the charge of murder at the next term of the circuit court at Smithland.—Paducah Standard.

Hereafter no citizen of Marion will be allowed to keep more than three hogs on the street without a license. As there are 1000 citizens and each can pasture but three hogs on the street, we will probably not have over 3000 swine basking in the sunshine of the street. This will be an improvement over the old style of letting over man grass as many hogs as he pleases.

Among the best men in the mail service is Mr. Edgar James, of this place. He was appointed under Cleveland, and his efficiency and industry, carried him through the Republican administration. As a clerk he is one among a thousand; he has been called up for examination time after time, and the errors scored against him could be counted on one's finger. The records as well as those in position to know, say there is no better clerk in the service. Having run the gauntlet, and come out without so much as a scratch, he naturally hopes to be promoted, and will ask to be made chief clerk of the division, with headquarters at Louisville. If sound Democracy, backed by eminent qualifications and the woods full of friends stands any show under the administration, he is going to win.

One of the most elegant affairs of the Thanksgiving week was a bird supper at the Marion Hotel. It was gotten up by a number of young men, and made a success by the young ladies who graced the occasion with their presence. The men embraced all the delicacies of the season, and after the birds had been dissected, and the numerous dainties appropriately disposed, the pre-prandial speeches were served. Mr. O. M. James was the toast master and royally to do, he met the demands of the occasion. Toasts were responded to by Messrs C. S. Nunn, R. D. Browning, H. K. Woods, S. Gugenheim, A. M. Straub and W. D. Baird. The young ladies present were Misses Elvia Crider, Mattie and Fannie Blue, Nellie Wilson, Nellie Walker, Ina Woods, Lillie and Bena Croft, Alice Browning, Nannie Nunn, Ada Bracey, Lemah Barnes and Mesdames Crider, Lov ing and Williams.

Hon. Sam O. Nunn, of Crittenden county, was in town Monday feeling the pulse of the people in regard to making the race for the State Senate next year. From the many expressions we heard we are justified in saying he will have a strong following in Caldwell county. Personally he is a very popular, affable gentleman, a strong fighter, a capable electioneer, and altogether a capable man. Through courtesy between Caldwell, Webster and Crittenden the latter county will furnish the Democratic candidate this time, and it may be set down with a certainty that Sam Nunn will be right in the race.—Princeton Banner.

An effort will be made to have a post office established at Piney Fork, this county. As this is a thickly settled neighborhood, some distance from a post-office, and as there are but two or three Democrats in the settlement, while accommodating the people, it would give one of the three lonesome Democrats an office, which though not a lucrative one, nevertheless it would be an office.

When the board of town trustees and the city marshal undertake to lecture each other for slackness in the performance of duties there is fun, but it is rather difficult to tell upon which side the joke falls. Now if the two departments together with the judiciary of the town could get together and all three throw "jaw" at each other, wouldn't there be a great old time.

An effort is being made to change the location of the bridge, for which the magistrates made an appropriation of \$2000, at Ford's Ferry. A petition is in circulation asking the court to locate the bridge at Dunn Spring instead of at Ford's Ferry. It is reported that the petition is being largely signed.

Among the difficult tasks the school trustees of the Marion district have is that of collecting the per capita tax on pupils, for full and other incidental expenses. No board has yet succeeded in collecting 50 per cent of the amount.

Mrs. Crider, wife of Mr. W. B. Crider, a well known citizen, living a few miles east of Marion, died Sunday night, and was buried at Piney Fork, Monday evening.

PERSONALS.

Mr. A. Lamb, of Eddyville, is in town.
Mr. A. C. Moore was in Salem Friday.
Mrs. G. Wolf is visiting friends in Paducah.
Judge T. J. Nunn was in Smithland Monday.
W. T. Crawford, of Tola, was in town Monday.
Mr. J. A. Stegar, of Princeton, was in town Tuesday.
Mr. Wiley Dollar, of Caldwell, was in town Monday.
Rev. H. G. Summers, of Crofton, was in town Tuesday.

W. L. Cruce and family went to Princeton Wednesday.
Mr. Fannie Hearin is recovering from his severe illness.
Rev. W. B. Grichlow, of Salem, was in town yesterday.
S. W. Adams, of Owensboro, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. John R. Griffith has moved from Eddyville to Henderson.
Mr. L. F. Sasseen, of Caldwell county, was in town Wednesday.
G. W. Howerton and H. T. Flanary went to Fredonia yesterday.

Mr. F. E. Robertson has been sick several days. He is confined to his room.
Mr. David Manse, of Carraville, was in town Friday, enroute to Evansville.

J. W. Blue went to Princeton yesterday to attend to business in Circuit court.
Mrs. Sallie Bass, of Nashville, is visiting her son's, John and James, of this county.

Mr. A. Murphy, who left this county three weeks ago, has located at Porterville, Mo.

Mr. J. F. Wyatt, one of the extensive farmers of the Salem Valley was in town Friday.

Mr. W. D. Baird and Dr. J. H. Crme attended the Cleveland Ball at Salem Tuesday night.

Messrs. John T. Pickens and B. L. Wilborn attended United States Court at Paducah last week.

Mr. C. W. Baldwin has moved from his farm, near Shady Grove, to his residence in Marion.

Mr. E. E. Thurman, the druggist at Weston, was in town Monday. He is doing a good business.

Col. T. T. Barnett, of Elizabethtown, Ill., was in town Friday. He expects to move back to Kentucky soon.

Mr. Gillman Farewell was called to his home at Franklin, Ky., Monday night by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother.

Ed. L. P. Conger left Monday night for Indian Territory. His family accompanied him. He goes for the purpose of engaging actively in the ministry of the gospel.

Chas. Chaney returned to his work in the zinc mines in Crittenden county, Ky., last week, having been called here by the death of his father.—Elizabethtown Independent.

Mr. W. R. Cruce is spending a few weeks at his home in this county. He has a pleasant as well as lucrative position as traveling salesman for a large firm of St. Louis. His territory embraces several Southern and Western States.

Mr. Geo. Dyer, mail clerk on the O. V., was in town Thursday, talking with his friends. Having served faithfully and efficiently as a clerk in the service, George now aspires to be a post office inspector. He is deserving and capable, and a Democrat from away back; and the Press hopes that he will succeed.

Mrs. Drew Johnson, after spending two weeks with her relatives in this county, returned to her home at Ridgeway, Ill., yesterday. She is a sister of Mr. John D. Boaz. She was raised in this county, but it has

been sixteen years since she paid the county a visit. Mr. Sol Boaz, her brother accompanied her home.

Judge T. J. Nunn, of Marion, will remove to Madisonville to engage in the practice of law having formed a partnership with Mr. Waddle the former partner of Judge Pratt. Marion will scarcely seem like Marion, nor Crittenden county like horse! without Judge Nunn and his pleasant family as citizens.—Smithland News.

Mr. A. M. Henry put up a couple of handsome tombstones at Sugar Grove cemetery Thursday. One marks the last resting place of Marion Clement, Jr., and the other for the grave of W. F. Pickens.

There will be a property tax for county purposes next year. The \$1.50 poll tax, which is the highest amount that can be levied, will not meet the demand of current expenses and keep up the interest on the debt. The expenses incident to the inauguration of the new election law, and the new bridges, for which appropriations have been made make considerable demand on our exchequer.

Made an Assignment.

This forenoon M. L. Hays, who conducted a grocery on Broadway, opposite the Burnett & Puryear ware house, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, who are mostly, it not entirely, Paducah merchants. His liabilities and assets are placed at about \$1,200 each. Mr. H. H. Hobson is his assignee.—Paducah News.

I will pay cash for Irish potatoes.

M. Schwab.

Officers Elected.

At the regular meeting of Blackwell Lodge, K. P., Friday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:
H. A. Haynes, C. C.
R. D. Browning, V. C.
W. D. Cannon, Prel.
R. C. Walker, K. of R. and S.
Hermen Wolf, M. A.
S. Gugenheim, M. E.
H. Kolinsky, M. F.
J. A. Hurley, Trustee.

Mr. Ben Martin, proprietor of the feather renovator, has been doing an immense business since his arrival in Marion. His process of cleaning feathers is the best known, and is certainly an admirable process for cleaning and giving new life to feathers. It leaves them as clean, neat and soft as when new, removing all of the impurities, and giving them the downy warm quality which makes them so pleasant and comfortable. Mr. Martin is reliable man and represents a reliable company. His men are visiting the people, taking and returning the beds. Have your beds renovated, making them healthier as well as more comfortable. Price very reasonable. Most of the citizens of Marion have patronized Mr. Martin, and all are well pleased with his work.

I will be in Salem on Dec 18th 19th and 20th, with a full line of all kinds of jewelry and spectacles. Call on me for bargains at the drug store.
Ken Williams.
W. A. Letzinger also Agent 'o Marion, Ky.

FOR SALE.—A house and lot near Marion. The lot embraces 1 1/2 acres; box house of four rooms, moke house, crib and stable, good outhouse. Will be sold cheap.
R. C. Walker, Ag't.

Bring no potatoes during Christmas week, or on any Saturday, I will positively not receive them.
SCHWAB.

WEDDING BELLS.

COOK-MILES.

On Thursday evening Nov. 24, 1892, the interior of the Methodist church at Marion presented a lovely appearance. Decorated with ever greens, and flowers, while the soft white light threw a sheur of beauty over the room, revealing a large assembly of Marion's best people. It was the occasion of uniting in holy wedlock the lives of two well known and popular young people—Mr. P. E. Cook and Miss Fannie Miles. At 7:30 the notes of the organ announced the arrival of the wedding party, and as the last sweet notes of the organ died away, a hush fell upon the audience, and the happy young people were standing around the altar, ready to plight their vows. Mr. C. S. Nunn and Miss Fannie Blue, Mr. Chas. Cook and Miss Laura Miles were the attendants; Rev. J. V. Guthrie with an impressive ceremony made them man and wife. The party then went to the residence of Mr. James Gilbert where they received the congratulations of friends, and an elegant supper was served.
Mr. Cook is one of our successful and prosperous young farmers, and his bride is the daughter of Mr. L. Miles, of this place. She is a refined and beautiful young lady, possessing all of the womanly virtues that adorn and make happy the home.

THE PRESENTS.

Breakfast set, pickle dishes and preserve stand, Mrs. J. W. Blue.
Silver pickle easter, Mrs. Kolinsky.
Pair of linen towels, Mrs. Doss.
White silk handkerchief Miss Nellie Doss.
Head rest, Mrs. W. I. Cruce.
Bouquet of flowers, Miss Lucy Walker.

Parlor lamp, Mr. Frank Dodge.
Comb and brush, Mr. Clem Nunn.
Dinner set, Miss Laur Miles.
Table cloth and napkins Mrs. L. Miles.
Gold thimble Mrs. Willey, Augusta, Ark.
Pitcher and salt stand, Misses Bessie Carnahan and Nettie Moore.
Linen towels Mrs. Gray.
Silver sugar spoon Miss Mattie Blue.

Hand glass Dr. R. L. Moore.
Parlor lamp, Mrs. Cochran.
Butter dish Mrs. J. G. Roehrs.
Pickle dishes Miss Mag Wallingford.

Linen towels, Mrs. Boh Flanary.
Linen towels, Mrs. S. D. Hodge.
One dozen linen napkins, Mrs. John Flanary.
Handkerchiefs, Miss Nonie Blue, St. Louis, Mo.
Linen napkins and table cloth, Mr. J. W. Blue, Jr.

Silver tooth pick ladle and cake stand, Mrs. Hibbs, Madisonville, Ky.
Mr. James B. Miles, \$25, Helena, Ark.
Canned fruit, Mrs. James Gilbert.
Linen table cloth and napkins, Mr. E. C. Moore, Mattoon, Ky.

Dozen pictures, Mr. Charley Cook.
Hand painted throne, Miss Ida Green, Kuttawa, Ky.
Bed spread, Mrs. Anna Krausser, St. Louis.
Dresser ornament, Mrs. W. M. Jones, Marietta, Ill.

Silver pie knife, Miss Wynn Jones and Mrs. Wm. Jones, Marietta, Ill.

MOORE ORR.

Married at the residence of the bride's mother Mrs. James Hughes, Miss Lucy Orr to Mr. Frank Moore. The attendance were Miss Mary Duval and Mr. Ros Hughes. The bride and bride's maid were beautifully arrayed in gray, the gentlemen in the usual black.

Mr. Moore is a prosperous young farmer of the Mattoon vicinity. The bride is one of the fairest daughters of the name.

We join in with the Press in wishing them success and happiness.

A Witness.

Licenses to Wed.

F. E. Hilliard and Miss Ida E. Burkshire,
Also Davidson and M. as Don Millin.

More Petitions.

Boy—Pa, what was on that paper Mr. Smith wanted you to read.
Man—It was a petition for the post office, son.
Boy—Pa, why didn't you sign it?
Man—Because, son, I have a position of my own.
Boy—Pa, has anybody signed your petition.
Man—No, my son, ever man I have seen yet had a petition of his own.
Boy—Pa, can't you get the women to sign your petition.
Man—No, my son, the women whose husbands have no petitions, have petitions themselves.
Boy—Pa, who will the people here get to sign their petitions.
Man—We will have to colonize voters from Pennsylvania, or Maine.

County Court Notes.

Finis Shuttleworth appointed road overseer.
B. F. McMeican allowed \$1.65 for lodging and boarding, Ruben Cook, a pauper.
In pursuance to the order made by the court of claims John P. Morton & Co., was allowed \$132.00 for printing ballots and other election supplies.

W. G. Carnahan allowed \$203.50 for both and ballot boxes, furnished by Geo. D. Barnard & Co., payable out of county levy of 1893 with 7 per cent interest.

Jonathan Polk allowed \$5.50 for right of way for public road.

R. J. Clement allowed \$1, for repairing bridge.

John G. Asher was, upon payment of the \$50 tax, allowed license to sell liquor as a druggist at Shady Grove.

A Handsome Picture.

Should be preserved in a good album. The album can be found at R. C. Walker's book-store. Prices from 50 cents to \$10.00.

Deeds Recorded.

J. C. James to Wm B. James 64 acres for \$1000.
W. B. Oliver to S. G. Lee 200 acres for \$2500.
S. D. Hodge to A. M. Gilbert, house and lot \$500.

W. E. Minner to Robt M. Young 15 acres for \$200.
A. J. Pickens to W. G. Carnahan, house and lot, \$2000.

W. G. Carnahan to A. J. Pickens 118 1/2 acres for \$4740
J. H. Mayes to W. L. Hughes interest in land for \$75.

T. M. Hamilton to Sallie A. Millikan 32 1/2 acres for \$175.
E. S. Moore to J. G. Hamilton 83 acres for \$400.

Jas W. Samuels to J. H. Studley interest in land for \$150.
M. F. Thift to Bennett Barnes interest in land for \$135.

J. G. Asher to S. A. Frezer lot in Shady Grove for \$525.
C. Barnaby Jr., to C. Barnaby, Sr, interest in land for \$500.

I have moved into the business house recently occupied by Mrs. Wolf, and in addition to my stock, I will run a first class restaurant, serving the best meals and lunch at all hours. When in town at Circuit Court, call.
B. F. McMeican.

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A. L. CRUCE, S. C. C.

A sewing machine given away Dec 10th. For particulars address Geo. M. Crider, Marion, Ky.

What Schwab Says.

Cash paid for eggs and lides.
Schwab.

I will pay you cash for eggs, green and dry hipes, leather, wool, beeswax, tallow and potatoes. Schwab.

The choicest and prettiest lamps of all descriptions can be found at Schwab's.

From the smallest to the largest and finest dolls ever seen, can be found at Schwab's.

I have the largest stock of Christmas goods, such as toys, candies, by far that has ever been brought to this place before. Schwab.

I want 50 barrels of good home-made soughum by the first of January. Will pay you 25 cents in trade and trade only. Schwab.

We don't want you to buy yet. But will take pleasure in showing you our Christmas goods. Call and see them. Schwab.

The largest and most complete line of queensware, glassware, and holiday goods ever seen in the county at Schwab's.

Coffee has advanced and will still advance sharply. While in selling at the old prices, you had better come in soon and get it. Schwab.

We have prunes, new pecans, sourkront, currants, raisens, hominy and ho nny flakes, pickles and cabbage, all fruit at the lowest cash prices. Schwab.

We buy Irish potatoes and pay the cash for them. Will positively not receive them on Saturday, or county court day. Any other day we will take them and pay you for them. Schwab.

In can goods such as tomatoes, corn and peaches, I have bought last September, there has been an advance of 25 per cent since, will give you the benefit of my purchase. Schwab.

I have more stock than I can possibly open out and show, having our house full to its utmost capacity and two warehouses full of goods that we can't open. I must sell regardless of price. Call soon h-lp me out. Schwab.

We will sell you 18 pounds of sugar for \$1. 5 1/2 lbs of medium coffee for \$1. coal oil at 10c per gallon. brooms 10 and 15 cents a piece, and good ones. Cups and saucers 15c per set, goblets 15 cents per set. Set knives and forks 50 cents, 24 pounds of the new crop open kettle New Orleans sugar for \$1. Tinware at the usual low prices, quoted heretofore. Schwab.

The latest improved pea-nut roaster has been purchased by B. F. McMeican, at considerable expense. It does fine work. Call on him for fresh, roasted pea-nuts.

A Long Letter.

can be easily written on good paper with a good pen and good ink. All of these articles can be found at H. C. Walker's book-store.

Do You Want A Farm?

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If you do, I am the man for you to see at once. I have the Barnes farm, on Hurricane creek, Crittenden county. It is for sale at a GREAT BARGAIN. I mean business,
H. H. LOVING.

"C. C. C. Certain Chili Cure," the most pleasant to take of all Fever and Ague Remedies. Warranted to cure Chills and Fever.

GENERAL NEWS

Lynchburg, Va., had \$150,000 Thursday.

An attempt will be made to divide Kansas into two States.

An earthquake shock was felt at San Francisco on the 24th.

Over 19,000 defective ballots were cast in the Massachusetts election.

The vote in Connecticut was Cleveland 164,825; and Harrison 5,580 less.

The electoral vote of Oregon will be cast three votes for Harrison and one for Weaver.

Thirteen hundred indictments against liquor dealers at Madison, Ind., were dismissed.

An Omaha, Neb., jewelry store was robbed of \$15,000 worth of diamonds and watches.

A country jail in Mexico is said to consist of a live oak tree, with a chain and staple attached.

Eight colored men and boys will be hanged at Chestertown, Ind., Dec 13, for the murder of R. R. Hill.

Germany's Emperor has consented to allow one of his famous military funds to attend the World's Fair.

Ex-Gov. Campbell, of Ohio, says that he can not go into Cleveland's cabinet. His business will not permit.

Sylvester Critchlow, one of the Homestead rioters, was tried on the charge of murder last week and acquitted.

The Norton heirs, of Louisville, have won a suit involving \$160,000 against the city of Superior, Wis.

At St. Joseph, Mo., a livery stable and twenty horses were burned. One of the horses was valued at \$15,000.

A Knoxville, Tenn., man made a bet that he could drink six beer glasses full of whisky; he won his bet, but the liquor killed him.

According to the report of the Controller of the Currency 163 new national banks were established during the last year.

The summer residence of Cornelius Vanderbilt at Newport, R. I., was destroyed by fire Friday. Loss only \$300,000.

According to the official report there were 857,087 pensioners on the roll June 30, 1892, an increase of 179,928 the past year.

The Third party has the balance of power in the California legislature, and will have abig power in the election of a United States Senator.

A number of special pen- agents, and thirty special agents as the land office have been dismissed to curtail expenses of the Interior Department.

The people Catahonla Pouth La., are appealing for aid. Their crops, and homes were destroyed by water and now 4000 people are without shelter and food.

The Yerkes telescope, for the University of Chicago will be in progress of construction for a year. When completed it will 25 per cent more powerful than the Lick instrument.

A Chicago Juror, W. C. Lincoln, has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment for contempt to court. The contempt consisted in attempting to secure a bribe from each side of the case on trial.

A question of the constitutionality of the Australian ballot law has been raised in California, and an injunction has been granted restraining the counting of the vote in San Francisco. A blind voter claims that it deprives him of the secrecy of the ballot, guar-

STATE NEWS

Owensboro will build a \$30,000 school house.

Sam Jones will begin a two week's meeting at Hopkinsville, January 1.

Kentucky's total Internal Revenue Collections amounts to about \$22,000,000 annually.

The indictments returned by the last grand jury have been stolen from the Hancock county court-house.

Rebecca Harrison, eighty-three years old, was burned to death in a house that was destroyed by fire near Owensboro.

Uncle Phil Medley 90 years old died near Cullen last Friday and was buried in the Catholic cemetery here Saturday.—Morganfield Sun.

Steve Ezell and R. C. Proctor, of Ballard county, last week undertook to cross the railroad near Wickliffe in front of a train, the engine struck their wagon and threw the two occupants some distance slightly injuring Ezell and resulting in the death of Proctor.—Murray Ledger.

Last Monday morning Chas. M. Hood and brother, Ben Hood, near Murray, started together for this place and while on the road a quarrel arose between them, which resulted in Ben Hood stabbing his brother about the bowels.—Murray Ledger.

The late Amos Shinkle of Covington, Ky., gave \$1,000,000 to various Methodist Churches in the course of his life and was for years a Sunday school teacher. The estate he left is valued at \$2,000,000. He had only one child, a son, who survives him.

Three negroes, all section hands, fell out over a game of "craps" they were engaged in at Dawson, on Friday last. Two of the number were shot by the third, who succeeded in making his escape to the woods. The names of the parties could not be obtained, and it is probable no effort will be made to capture the fugitive murderer.—Earlington Bee.

AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

A Woman's Chance Receipt of Tidings of Her Kin in Kamchatka.

More than half a century ago William Tolman sailed on a whaling ship bound for the northern seas. The ship was disabled and put into Kamchatka for repairs. Mr. Tolman was a master mechanic, and so well pleased were the inhabitants with his work of repairing the disabled ship that the authorities of the place induced him to stay. A few years later he married a Russian girl, by whom he had a daughter and two sons. When the daughter was eleven years old her father sent her to America on a whaler in charge of the captain. The ship put into the port of New London, Conn., and the captain sent word to the girl's relatives in western New York, who came to New London by train and took her to their home. Afterward she, with relatives, came to Michigan.

The girl grew to womanhood, married an Episcopal clergyman named Dunn, and settled down in Lawrence, Kan. For fifty years Mrs. Dunn never heard a word from her parents in faraway Kamchatka. One day about a year ago she chanced to speak to a Russian in the streets of Lawrence, and was surprised when the subject of the czar said she knew William Tolman, her father, and two brothers. He said that Mr. Tolman was dead, but that the sons were alive, but very poor. One of them, he told her, was a trapper.

The Russian gave Mrs. Dunn their address and she wrote to them, sending them clothing and many useful presents. In due time she got a letter from one brother, the first for over fifty years. The letter was passed around among relatives. Yesterday W. T. Hess, of this city, got a letter, written in Russian, from one of the Tolman brothers in Kamchatka. Not being a Russian scholar he went out of his store to find some one to translate it. He asked a street fakir, and he asked him if he could read the letter. The fakir looked at it and replied, "Yes, sir; it is Russian and from Kamchatka." He translated the letter for Mr. Hess.

"Here is the funny part of the whole thing," said Mr. Hess. "Mrs. Dunn learned of her relatives through a Russian on the street in Lawrence, Kan., and I had one of her brother's letters translated by a Russian found on the street in Grand Rapids. The William Tolman who sailed on the whaler was my uncle, for whom I was named. Pity how we get news from relatives sometimes," continued Mr. Hess.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

Her Only Thought.

It was one of the days when the wind blows suddenly and sharply around the corner, when the dust whirls in clouds and the air has a hard, cold damper which goes straight through any coat except a fur one. Away up town on one of the western avenues where cheap shops are kept on the ground floor of cheap flat houses a woman stood by a window with a baby in her arms. Her dress was shabby and so thin that the wind went through it as through a sieve. The baby had a woolen sock and a worsted coat and cap, and seemed to be warm enough as he burrowed upon the woman's shoulder and dug his gravelly little fingers into her eyes.

In the shop window were displayed two kinds of garments. On one side were women's woolen petticoats and all kinds of heavy cotton underclothing, which looked warm and comfortable. But this woman did not see them, for she was looking on the other side of the window, where were shown little knitted boots and tippets of white, flannel stuff, and babies' mittens and babies' shoes and babies' fancy caps, with ribbons in them.—New York Times.

Large Electric Locomotives.

The most powerful electric locomotives yet used are two of the London Underground railway. Each locomotive, according to a description of Mr. Alexander Siemens, carries two motors, and the use of all gearing is obviated by winding the armatures of the motors on the wheels of the locomotive wheels.

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Four Methods of Preserving.

Of the four principal manners of preserving food in use today drying and salting (the latter term including salting, smoking and antiseptic processes) are not modern, while freezing and freezing are entirely new. Freezing dates nominally from 1661, when Apert made the first attempt at inclosing food in hermetically closed boxes, but a long course of trials and improvements had to be gone through before the excellence of today was obtained. Dried vegetables were introduced by Chollet in 1815, but the products of that period were miserable in comparison with those turned out now.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Flures About Snuff.

It seems surprising to learn that twenty years ago 4,000,000 pounds of snuff per annum were consumed in this country. Much more astonishing is this circumstance that during the fiscal year ended July 1, 1892, 10,000,000 pounds of snuff were used in the United States. Yet how rarely is it that one sees a pinch of snuff taken!—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Catering to the Public.

Friend—Why do you dump all that dirt into your soap kettles? Soap Manufacturer—If folks don't find the water dirty after washing they think the soap is good.—New York Weekly.

The Hunter Hunted.

An old huntsman was returning one evening from a neighbor's when he heard a flock of wild turkeys in a clump of pines. They were going to roost, and he at once resolved to be on hand in the morning and shoot some of them. How he succeeded is best told in his own language:

"The next mornin afore daybreak," says the hunter, "I was on the ground. I hid in an opening between some large boulders that closed a space on three sides but was open at the top, where a man could stand comfortable 'bout being seen."

"I set down at the mouth of the opening, laid my gun on the ground, and listened till toward daybreak I heard the turkeys fly down from the roost. I called to 'em two or three times in a way I know. With the second call came an answer, and I heard the turkeys coming on the run."

"I was gittin my gun ready when I heard a queer noise like some animal pantin behind me. I turned my head and saw the biggest kind of a wildcat with months wide open eyes like two full moons, just ready to jump on my back."

"Scarf! I sprang to my feet and threw my arms over my head and gave a yell that would have scared a grizzly!"

"The cat went one way and I went another. I got out of my hidin place in a hurry, an' stood a few minutes feelin trembly like. Then I went back an' picked up my gun, an' started for home, feelin like a sheep-bilin dog."

"You see the wildcat was out lookin for breakfast, an' expectin to get the pick of the turkeys when he see me. I ain't ashamed to own I was flustered."

"Did I say anythin? No, I wouldn't have shot a turkey if one had ran up an' bit me. But I laid for that wildcat till I got him; lastways I took it for him, although I own I didn't stop long enough that first night."

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The fact that the kitchen door of the Collins cottage at Pleasant Harbor was painted black led to an incident that caused the Pleasant Harbor townspeople much amusement. Miss Laura Collins, the elder of the two elderly women who lived in the cottage, used to tell the story thus:

My sister Emmeline is what you might call absentminded. She gets her mind set on somethin', and then she doesn't pay real strict attention to what she's doin'. One evening she came into the kitchen where I was sitting and said, 'I'm goin' down to the corner to call on Mrs. Stone.'

And I said: 'I will go. It's a pleasant evening for a walk; moonlight, and the stars are out.'

I noticed that Emmeline had on her big sunbonnet, but I didn't say anything about it. Everybody in the village was used to seeing her wear it in the evening, and even on rainy days. I went on sewing, and in a minute I heard Emmeline say: 'Why, it must have clouded up suddenly. There isn't a star to be seen. It's a terrible black night!'

I looked up, and there stood Emmeline with the edge of her sunbonnet pressed up against the door. She had forgotten to open it before she looked out to see what color of a night it was, and of course the door being painted black that made considerable difference.—Youth's Companion.

Patents in England.

Hallam records that all through the sixteenth and the beginning of the seventeenth century, patents to deal exclusively in particular articles were granted so lavishly to the courtiers that they had a commodity remained free. Even salt-leather and coat were the subjects of patents, the list of which, when re-opened in parliament in 1601, was so long that a member asked incredulously, 'What broad among the number?'

The practice was for the favored courtiers to sell their patents of monopoly companies of merchants—or syndicates—as we should call them nowadays—to work them. Rival political parties struggled, not to redress the grievances under which the people groaned, but to obtain a share of the profits. If a man held a monopoly of sweet wine, Raleigh held one of cards; indeed, it is hard to say how many patents either of the kind from first to last.—All the Year Round.

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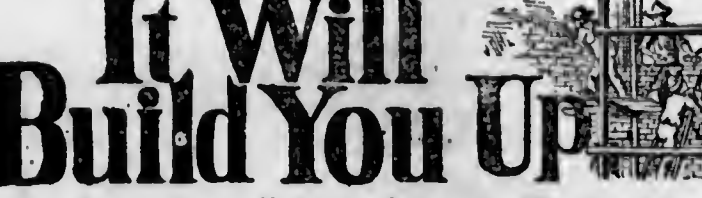
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